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OPGS News

GIRC Hours. *The Grant Information Resource Center (GIRC)* provides technical assistance and information about resources that improve community services in the District of Columbia for its “customers” -District government, nonprofit, and faith-based representatives. The primary focus is to assist customers who either lack computer access or the knowledge to best use their existing computer technology to strengthen their organizations. The GIRC will be open Mondays, Wednesdays, & Thursdays, 10 a.m.-12 p.m. and 2 p.m.-4 p.m., by appointment only. Thursdays are reserved for previous GIRC users. To make an appointment call 202-727-8900.

Federal Opportunities

Please note – if the link for a Federal Grant opportunity does not work, go to www.grants.gov and enter the CFDA # (found in our Grants Database <http://app.opgs.dc.gov/grantautomation/grantfinder.asp> by inputting the “Grant ID” number provided below).

Disability and Rehabilitation Research Projects and Centers Program—Field Initiated (FI) Projects.

Department of Education (ED) announces funds to develop methods, procedures, and rehabilitation technology that maximize the full inclusion and integration into society, employment, independent living, family support, and economic and social self sufficiency of individuals with disabilities, especially individuals with the most severe disabilities.

Eligibility: City or township governments, county governments, independent school districts, special district governments, state governments, nonprofit organizations, public housing authorities, private institutions of higher education, for-profit organizations other than small businesses and community-based organizations.

Deadline: January 6, 2010.

Funds: \$2,000,000 is available to fund 10 awards, ranging up to \$200,000. A match is required.

Information: Marlene Spencer at (202) 245-7532 or Marlene.Spencer@ed.gov; or go to:
<http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?oppId=50032&mode=VIEW>.

GrantID: GD3626

Grants to Expand Substance Abuse Treatment Capacity in Targeted Areas of Need - Local Recovery Oriented Systems of Care.

Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS) announces funds to foster the development and utilization of local recovery-oriented systems of care to address gaps in treatment capacity by supporting person-centered and self-directed approaches for substance abuse, including alcohol and drug treatment and recovery services in communities with serious drug problems.

Eligibility: City or township governments, county governments, special district governments, state governments, nonprofit organizations and community-based organizations.

Deadline: January 14, 2010.

Funds: \$4,800,000 is available to fund 12 awards, ranging up to \$400,000.

Information: William Reyes at (240) 276-1406 or william.reyes@samhsa.hhs.gov; or go to:
<http://samhsa.gov/grants/2010/TI-10-007.aspx>.

State Single Point of Contact: This grant is subject to "Intergovernmental Review" under EO 12372. Please go to <http://opgs.dc.gov/>, select "State Single Point of Contact" to comply.

GrantID: GD3627

National Leadership Grants. *Institute of Museum and Library Services (IMLS)* announces funds to advance the ability of museums and libraries to preserve culture, heritage and knowledge while enhancing learning.

Eligibility: City or township governments, county governments, public and state controlled institutions of higher education, state governments, nonprofit organizations and private institutions of higher education. Libraries and museums are eligible to apply.

Deadline: February 1, 2010.

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Pre-Application Conference: Wednesday, November 18, at 1pm (ET), 1 hour call. To join the conference call, phone 800/603-9527 and when prompted, provide the conference ID, # 39707506.

Funds: Awards range from \$50,000-\$1,000,000. A match is required.

Information: Rachel Frick at (202) 653-4667 or rfrick@imls.gov; or go to:
<http://www.imls.gov/applicants/grants/nationalLeadership.shtm>.

GrantID: GD3628

Offender Reentry Program. *Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS)* announces funds to expand and/or enhance substance abuse treatment and related recovery and reentry services to sentenced juvenile and adult offenders returning to the community from incarceration for criminal/juvenile offenses.

Eligibility: City or township governments, county governments, public and state controlled institutions of higher education, state governments, nonprofit organizations, faith-based organizations and community-based organizations.

Deadline: January 19, 2010.

Funds: \$13,000,000 is available to fund 17 awards, ranging up to \$400,000.

Information: William Reyes at (240) 276-1406 or william.reyes@samhsa.hhs.gov; or go to:
<http://samhsa.gov/grants/2010/TI-10-006.aspx>.

State Single Point of Contact: This grant is subject to "Intergovernmental Review" under EO 12372. Please go to <http://opgs.dc.gov/>, select "State Single Point of Contact" to comply.

GrantID: GD3625

District Opportunities

Chronic Care Initiative – Cycle 2. *Department of Health (DOH)* announces funds to support groups to participate in the Chronic Care Initiative in reshaping the delivery of services for persons affected by cardiovascular disease, hypertension, stroke, diabetes, chronic kidney disease, or chronic obstructive lung disease. This group of conditions includes early risk factors and pre-clinical conditions, through to advanced illness and death.

Eligibility: Nonprofit organizations.

Deadline: December 7, 2009.

Pre-Application Meeting: Thursday, November 12, 2009, in conference room 4131 from 2:00 pm to 4:00 pm at the DC Department of Health Headquarters, 825 North Capitol St, NE, Washington, DC.

Funds: \$3,500,000 is available.

Information: Charles Nichols at (202) 442-9342 or charles.nichols@dc.gov; or go to:
<http://opgs.dc.gov/opgd/cwp/view,a,1316,q,609787.asp>.

GrantID: GD3633

FY 2010 Local Funds Grant: Inmate and Family Support Services. *Justice Grants Administration (JGA)* announces funds to provide inmate and family support services to individuals who are in DOC custody and/or preparing for transition into the community. Services may vary, but should include elements such as facilitation of visitation, family strengthening and reunification, providing links to community-based service providers and other vital support services.

Eligibility: Nonprofit and community-based organizations.

Deadline: December 2, 2009.

Funds: \$55,000 is available to fund 2 awards.

Information: <http://opgs.dc.gov/opgd/cwp/view,a,1316,q,609787.asp>.

GrantID: GD3630

Nannie Helen Burroughs Avenue Water Quality Monitoring. *District Department of Transportation (DDOT)* announces funds to conduct water quality monitoring of stormwater run-off along Nannie Helen Burroughs Avenue, NE between 44th Street and Division Avenue, NE.

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Eligibility: Public and state controlled institutions of higher education, nonprofit organizations and private institutions of higher education.

Deadline: December 4, 2009.

Funds: \$65,000 is available to fund 1 award.

Information: Reginald Arno at (202) 741-5340 or reginald.arno@dc.gov; or go to: <http://opgs.dc.gov/opgd/cwp/view,a,1316,q,609787.asp>.

GrantID: GD3631

Neighborhood Investment Fund Target Area Project Grant (TAPG). *Office of the Deputy Mayor for Planning and Economic Development (DMPED)* announces funds to complete major projects/programs in one the 12 target areas (see announcement for the specific target areas) of the Neighborhood Investment Fund. The goal of the TAPG is to fund initiatives that will revitalize target areas by strengthening economic opportunities and improving the quality of life. There are four eligible project categories that support the District's FY10 budget priorities and ongoing initiatives: (1) vocational training and direct job placement for youth and adults; (2) senior-or-youth oriented programming; (3) affordable housing preservation; and (4) small business technical assistance.

Eligibility: Nonprofit and community-based organizations.

Deadline: January 14, 2010.

Pre-Application Meetings: Information sessions on Friday, November 13th, 2009 at 10 a.m. or Monday, November 16th, 2009 at 1 p.m. at the Office of the Deputy Mayor for Planning and Economic Development, 2025 M Street, NW, Suite 600, Washington, DC.

Funds: \$4,800,000 is available to fund awards up to \$50,000.

Information: (202) 724-8111 or go to: <http://opgs.dc.gov/opgd/cwp/view,a,1316,q,609787.asp>.

GrantID: GD3632

Electronic Grants Clearinghouse. *The Mayor's Office of Partnerships and Grant Services* is the clearinghouse for the Government of the District of Columbia's grant programs. Notices and application packets are available for the following notices at: <http://opgs.dc.gov/>, select District Grants Clearinghouse.

District Agency	Funding Opportunity	Deadline
Serve DC	AmeriCorps*State Grants	November 17, 2009
Department of Health	Capital Health Project Round 3 - Wellness Promotion	November 20, 2009
Justice Grants Administration	FY2010 Justice Assistance Grant: Youth Reentry and Violence Reduction	November 25, 2009
Office of the Deputy Mayor for Planning and Economic Development	New Communities Youth Development and Wellness Grants	December 7, 2009

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30th Anniversary Special Grant. *Humanities Council of Washington DC* announces funds to support local organizations to produce a short-film, create a website, or create a book of poetry by young people, or a product of some sort. The themes would be defined within the 1980-2010 timeline and the focus should be on history and culture in the District during that period.

Eligibility: Nonprofit and community-based organizations.

Deadline: December 1, 2009.

Pre-Application Workshop: Thursday November 12th at 12:30pm. This workshop will be held at 925 U Street, NW. Please RSVP by visiting <http://www.wdchumanities.org>, and selecting the "RSVP" button on the right-hand side.

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Funds: \$40,000 is available to fund 8 awards up to \$5,000.

Information: Joel Makonnen at (202) 387-8391 or jmakonnen@wdchumanities.org; or go to:
<http://www.wdchumanities.org/>.

GrantID: GD3629

J. Jill Compassion Fund. *The Boston Foundation* announces funds to support job training, education, and transitional and/or affordable housing for women in need. The fund seeks programs that break down barriers for women in crisis to achieve and sustain self-sufficiency.

Eligibility: Nonprofit and community-based organizations. Grant funding priority is given to programs and organizations that have established a relationship with or connection to one or more of the J.Jill store(s) and are located near one or more J.Jill store(s).

Deadline: November 30, 2009.

Information: compassionfund@jjill.com; or go to:

<http://www.jjill.com/jjillonline/compassion/cfgrant.aspx?BID=S2009310104829633D81D655284E458FBBE8&sk=M&h=M>.

GrantID: GD3635

Samuel Harris Fund for Children's Dental Health. *American Dental Association Foundation* announces funds to support organizations that sponsor programs for mothers and caregivers to help reduce the incidence of early childhood caries. Awards will be made for prenatal and postnatal oral health instruction for mothers/caregivers.

Eligibility: Nonprofit and community-based organizations.

Deadline: January 8, 2010.

Funds: \$50,000 is available to fund 10 awards up to \$5,000.

Information: Rose Famularo at (312) 440-2763 or FamularoR@ada.org; or go to:
<http://www.ada.org/ada/adaf/index.asp>.

GrantID: GD3634

Announcements and Resources

DOH Announcement. *The D.C. Department of Health (DOH)/Community Health Administration (CHA)* will release a Request for Applications for the Second Cycle of the Chronic Care Initiative on Friday, November 6, 2009. Non-profit organizations are eligible to apply for grants focusing on chronic diseases, e.g. cardio-vascular disease, diabetes, chronic kidney disease, stroke, hypertension, and chronic obstructive lung disease. Deadline for RFA submission is Monday, December 7, 2009 by 4:00pm. A *Pre-Application Conference* is scheduled for Thursday, November 12, 2009, 2:00pm – 4:00pm at 825 North Capitol Street, NE, Room 4131.

DC Cancer Consortium Grant Opportunities. DC Cancer Consortium (DCCC) seeks to award grants to qualified community-based nonprofit organizations experienced in serving the needs of medically-underserved residents and communities. These grants are not intended to provide resources for the delivery of clinical services. Grants will be awarded for projects focused on outreach and education strategies that improve cancer screening, diagnosis, treatment, and recovery for medically underserved populations, based on documented racial and ethnic disparities, insurance status, and geographic scarcity of resources. Please visit <http://www.dccancerconsortium.org/rfps/index.html> for more information.

Free Team and Leadership Assessment and Feedback. Mr. Darrell Harvey is seeking teams to participate in a research study of factors affecting the dynamics of organizational teams. Participating leaders will receive feedback regarding their leadership approach, while teams will receive feedback regarding team characteristics that often impact team effectiveness and satisfaction. Mr. Harvey is an organizational consultant who has over 20 years experience consulting with organizations on team and leadership effectiveness. He is also a graduate student in the doctoral program in Industrial/Organizational Psychology at Pennsylvania State University. The study is being

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conducted as part of the degree requirements in the program. The study requires the team leader and members to complete brief surveys about their leadership approach and team characteristics, respectively. Participating teams should have between approximately 4 and 15 members and have a designated leader (manager, chairperson, director, etc.). The principal data collection focus is on organizations in the Washington, DC, Maryland and Virginia region, organizations from other regions that have multiple teams will be considered. The study will be conducted over the next few months. Please email dhharvey@psu.edu if you are interested in participating in the study or would like more information. The deadline for signing up for the study is Dec. 7, 2009, although space is limited, so please contact us as soon as possible, if you are interested.

Previous Announcements and Resources

2010 Bob Costas Grants for the Teaching of Writing. Bob Costas Grants support exceptional teachers who through their innovative teaching methods motivate their students to write. Winning teachers are awarded grants to enhance successful projects currently under way. Projects can be carried out in school (public or nonpublic), through an after-school writing workshop, or during a summer program. Teachers from all academic disciplines grades 6-12 are eligible to enter. Awards are \$3,000. The deadline to apply is November 20, 2009. For more information, go to: <http://professionals.collegeboard.com/k-12/awards/costas>.

Achieve Grants Provide Consulting Services for New Opportunities. Achieve Grants are designed to provide counsel to nonprofit organizations seeking new opportunities for success. Two Achieve Grants are available for 2010: 1) Achieve Grant for Coaching Services (10 hours valued at \$2,000) and; 2) Achieve Grant for one-year of Achieve Consulting for consulting services (value to be determined by scope of services and up to \$10,000). Nonprofit organizations with 501(c)(3) status that have been in operation at least two years are eligible to apply. Deadline for applications is November 15, 2009. For more information, go to: <http://www.achievethecore.org/page/grants>.

Applications Available for 2010 Mayor's Environmental Excellence Awards. District of Columbia businesses and nonprofit organizations may now apply for the 2010 Mayor's Environmental Excellence Awards. Administered by the District Department of the Environment (DDOE), the awards program is in its second year and will recognize winners in seven categories. The awards recognize environmental stewardship, innovative best practices, pollution prevention and resource conservation in the following categories: Construction/Development; Partner (Association or Nonprofit); Restaurant/Food Service; Innovation in Green Products or Services; Hotel; Small Business (100 or fewer employees); and Large Business (More than 100 employees). Applications and instructions can be found at <http://ddoe.dc.gov/awards>. The application period ends January 29, 2010, and awards will be distributed in the spring.

Celebrating Solutions Awards. *Mary Byron Project*, a national organization working to address the root causes of domestic violence and help build safer, healthier communities announces awards to showcase and applaud local innovations that demonstrate promise in breaking the cycle of violence. The program provides cash awards of \$10,000 to each organization. The awards would be presented to programs that can serve as models for the nation in their efforts to reduce violence. Eligible applicants are non-profits organizations and government agencies. Application deadline is November 17, 2009. For guidelines and nomination forms go to: <http://marybyronproject.org/CelebratingSolutions.html>.

Center for Law and Social Policy (CLASP) DataFinder Includes 2008 Census Data. CLASP has updated its DataFinder to include 2008 Census American Community Survey poverty data. The DataFinder is a custom, easy-to-use tool developed to provide select demographic information as well as administrative data on programs that affect low-income people and families. To use the DataFinder, go to: <http://www.clasp.org/data/>.

The DC Cancer Consortium Grant Opportunities. The DC Cancer Consortium (DCCC) has released 4 requests for proposals in the following areas: Breast and Cervical Cancer, Breast Cancer Screening, Ovarian and

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Endometrial Cancers, and Citywide Colorectal Cancer Screening. Please visit <http://www.dccancerconsortium.org/rfps/index.html> for more information or contact Marian Pegram, Grants Manager, at mpeggram@dccancerconsortium.org.

Parent Engagement Toolkit. The Annie E. Casey Foundation and America's Promise Alliance developed a toolkit to engage parents in dropout prevention and development strategies to ensure the success of all children. The toolkit is a resource for Dropout Summit conveners and community leaders bringing the parent voice into the planning process and the development of local and state action plans addressing the dropout crisis. To access the toolkit go to <http://www.americaspromise.org/Resources/ParentEngagement.aspx>.

SeaWorld/Busch Gardens Environmental Excellence Awards. The 2010 SeaWorld/Busch Gardens Environmental Excellence Awards recognize the outstanding efforts of students and teachers across the country who are working at the grassroots level to protect and preserve the environment. Entrants must demonstrate significant accomplishments that have occurred prior to the submission deadline. Schools (grades K-12) and community groups are eligible to apply. The maximum award is \$10,000. The deadline to apply is November 20, 2009. For more information, go to: <http://www.swbg-animals.org/conservation-matters/eea/about.htm>.

Voices for Change: Perspectives on Strengthening Welfare-to-Work from DC TANF Recipients. The DC Fiscal Policy Institute is bringing people together to hear the key findings and recommendations from a new report by SOME, Inc. (So Others Might Eat) and the DC Fiscal Policy Institute about improving services for TANF families. The release will feature a video of DC TANF recipients discussing their experiences with the program and a discussion and Q&A with a panel of speakers. The event takes place November 12, 9:30 - 11:00 am, at Georgetown Law Center - Gewirz Student Center, 120 F Street, NW, 12th Floor. Please RSVP by November 9 to Tina Marshall at marshall@cbpp.org or 202-408-1080.

Washington Post 2010 Award for Excellence in Nonprofit Management. This award recognizes outstanding management practices in the nonprofit sector and inspires other organizations to strive to become more effective. The Award includes a cash grant of \$10,000 and a scholarship to Georgetown University's Center for Public and Nonprofit Leadership's Nonprofit Management Executive Certificate Program. Up to four honorable mentions will be awarded along with a \$2,500 cash grant. The deadline is December 7, 2009. To learn more about the award or access the application, go to: http://www.nonprofitadvancement.org/newsletter1852/newsletter_show.htm?doc_id=1041188.

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